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As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names;

we believe that we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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described and claimed in a patent application filed on May 8, 2001 and assigned the serial number 09/851,074 in the United States Patent And Trademark Office;

we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims;

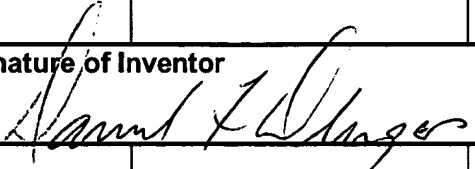
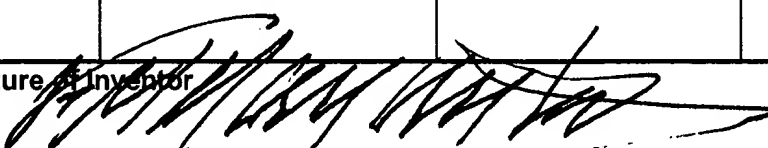
this application in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in our earlier filed pending applications, Serial Numbers 09/470,585, filed December 22, 1999 and 09/470,730, filed December 22, 1999;

we acknowledge our duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, section 1.56; and

as to the subject matter of this application which is common to said earlier applications, we do not know and do not believe the invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before our invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention thereof or more than one year prior to said earlier applications, that the invention was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to said earlier applications, that the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of said earlier applications in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to said earlier application, and that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention has been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to said earlier applications by us or any legal representatives or assigns.

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<p>as to the subject matter of this application which is not common to said earlier applications, we do not know and do not believe the invention was even known or used in the United States of America before our invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application, that the invention was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application, that the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to this application, and that no application for patent or inventors certificate on this invention has been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to this application by us or our legal representatives or assigns.</p>	
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